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February 21, 1992

## CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT

Mr. R. J. Ramsey  
Barneys Canyon Mine  
8200 South 9600 West  
P. O. Box 311  
Bingham Canyon, UT 84006-0311

RE: Draft Ground Water Discharge  
Permit No. UGW350001

Dear Mr. Ramsey:

Enclosed is a copy of the Statement of Basis and proposed ground water discharge permit we are sending to public notice. You will note that the permit also addresses your requested discharge to Barneys Canyon and Bancroft washes.

We have attempted to satisfy your comments of October 25 and November 25, 1992 in this version, within the limits of our regulations. However, we are still maintaining that leaks in the detection system (Page 7) will place the system into noncompliance. Immediate action on the part of Barneys Canyon will then be required. Noncompliance does not necessarily mean there will be immediate shutdown or fines, and in most cases, immediate reporting and corrective action may suffice.

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If you have further questions, please call Mack Croft or Larry Mize at 538-6146. The 30 day notice period should start about February 24th.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Fred C. Pehrson".

Fred C. Pehrson, P.E., Manager  
Permits, Compliance & Monitoring Branch

Enclosure

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cc: Salt Lake City/County Health Dept.  
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

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